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INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

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SUBJ: FURTHER SASO/BPC DETENTIONS UNDER TERRORISM ACT

REF: DURBAN 356

1. ACCORDING PRESS REPORTS, EIGHT PERSONS CONNECTED WITH SASO/BPC HAVE BEEN DETAINED UNDER TERRORISM ACT DURING PAST WEEK. IN ADDITION TO TWO DETENTIONS REPORTED REFTEL, THE FOLLOWING SIX ALSO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED: THOMAS MANTHATA, FORMER SASO VICE-PRESIDENT CURRENTLY WORKING FOR SA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES; MIKE JORDAN, SASO DURBAN FIELD WORKER; KINGDOM KHUTSWANE, SASO PERMANENT ORGANIZER; MIKE CEKESANI, BPC MEMBER IN PORT ELIZABETH; WINSTON NKONDO, DIRECTOR BPC BLACK COMMUNITY PROGRAMS IN JOHANNESBURG; AND BEN LOUW, DIRECTOR SASO FREE UNIVERSITY SCHEME.

2. EMBASSY SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED PRESS REPORTS AND ALSO STATES THAT SEVERAL OTHER SASO PEOPLE ARE MISSING SINCE WEEKEND AND ARE PRESUMED TO BE DETAINED. LATEST DETENTIONS APPARENTLY ARE NOT CONNECTED WITH CURRENT SASO/BPC TERRORISM TRIAL. FYI: MANTHATA WAS LUNCHEON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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GUEST OF SENATOR CLARK DURING HIS AUGUST VISIT HERE.

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